

FINNEA Advises Tribar Manufacturing on its Recapitalization with HCI Equity Partners

FINNEA Group, LLC is pleased to announce the recapitalization of Tribar Manufacturing LLC ("Tribar" or the "Company") by HCI Equity Partners ("HCI") and its majority stockholder. FINNEA acted as exclusive financial advisor to Tribar. This transaction adds to FINNEA's deep experience advising family-owned businesses within the automotive industry.



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About Tribar Manufacturing LLC

Headquartered in Howell, Michigan, Tribar is an influential collaborator to vehicle design engineers and a leading Tier-I manufacturer of highly-engineered Class-A products critical to automotive design and brand differentiation. Tribar principally serves the North American light vehicle market with an extensive product portfolio featuring high profile decorative badges and emblems. The Company also supplies steering wheel bezels and complex two-shot molded components such as door seals and liftgate reveals.

About HCI Equity Partners

With offices in Minneapolis, Minnesota, Washington, D.C. and Chicago, Illinois, HCI Equity Partners is a strategically-focused private equity firm targeting growth-oriented industrial product and service companies. HCI leverages its highly-focused investing approach, coupled with its strategic experience, to grow and enhance the profitability of its portfolio companies.

About the Transaction

Recognizing its strong pipeline of new business opportunities, Tribar ownership retained FINNEA to secure capital resources and strategic oversight from a private equity firm with substantial experience in growing automotive businesses. FINNEA conducted a robust process that garnered significant interest from the private equity community. Tribar ownership chose HCI to shepherd the Company through its next chapters of growth and ultimately elected to re-invest alongside HCI to participate in future growth prospects.

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